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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s): Hiroharu Ikeda, Paul R. Nahass, Robert Hausslein. This application is a 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) continuation application of prior parent U.S.S.N. 08/612,914.

Entitled: **Graphite Fibril Material**☒ Please insert the following cross referencing information on page 1, line 2 of the specification:

This application is a continuation of U.S.S.N. No. 08/612,914, filed August 29, 1996, which is the national stage application of PCT/US94/10169, filed September 9, 1994, which claims benefit to the Japanese Patent Application No. 5-226043, filed September 10, 1993.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 14 sheets of specification, including 1 page Abstract and 1 page claim  
☒ A signed Inventors Declaration And Power of Attorney from parent application.

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- ☒ Applicant hereby states pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c)(1) that Applicant is a small entity.
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